Mountain Weather Forecast

North Grampian

Including North and West Cairngorms National Park, Monadhliath, Ben Alder, Creag Meagaidh, Loch Ericht and Loch Rannoch
Forecast valid from 00:00 on Sunday 25 Sep 2022 until 23:59 on Monday 26 Sep 2022

Forecast Issued on Saturday 24 Sep 2022 at 10:50 by Met Office Aberdeen

Confidence: High for windy conditions developing during Sunday with rain for a time. Then for cold, showery, windy weather on Monday and Tuesday.

Headline for Sunday 25 Sep 2022: Dry morning then rain for a time in afternoon. Becoming very windy on the tops.

Mountain weather hazards on Sunday 25 Sep 2022

Blizzards No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent snow** No Likelihood	**Storm force winds** No Likelihood
Gales High Likelihood	**Severe chill effect** Low Likelihood	**Poor visibility** No Likelihood
Thunderstorms No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent rain** No Likelihood	**Strong sunlight** No Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 800m

Time							
00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Partly cloudy (night)	Partly cloudy (night)	Partly cloudy (night)	Sunny intervals	Cloudy	Light rain	Light rain showers	Light rain showers (night)
Precipitation probability							
<05%	<05%	<05%	10%	10%	70%	40%	30%

Forecast for Sunday 25 Sep 2022

Weather: Dry overnight and Sunday on morning with some sunshine. Then cloudy with a band of rain crossing all ranges later in afternoon accompanied by westerly gales. Drier, clearer weather following in the evening.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 800m: 60% decreasing 30% for a time later in afternoon.

Low cloud and visibility: Good visibility for much of the day with patchy cloud cover about 700m, the main canopy of cloud mostly above the tops. Clouds will become extensive for a time later in afternoon around 600 to 700m with poorer visibility as rain moves through.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph)					Wind Direction (blowing from)			
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
1300	19/24 W	26/32 W	28/35 W	30/38 W	39/51 W	49/64 W	51/68 W	44/59 W	40/54 NW
900	12/14 SW	17/21 SW	20/24 SW	23/29 SW	31/40 SW	39/52 SW	39/52 W	31/43 W	28/40 W
600	8/11 SW	11/15 SW	12/17 SW	16/22 SW	21/30 SW	27/39 SW	24/37 W	20/32 W	18/29 W
300	4/11 SW	5/14 SW	5/16 SW	10/22 SW	15/31 SW	16/36 SW	14/31 SW	11/25 W	11/24 W
Glen	2/10 SW	2/13 SW	3/14 SW	5/18 SW	7/25 SW	7/28 SW	5/25 W	4/22 W	4/21 W

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)								
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
1300	1/-6	1/-6	2/-5	3/-4	4/-4	3/-5	4/-4	2/-7	-0/-9
900	4/-0	4/-1	4/-1	5/0	7/1	6/-0	7/2	5/-1	3/-4
600	6/4	6/3	7/4	8/4	9/5	9/4	10/6	8/4	6/1
300	7/5	7/5	8/6	10/8	12/9	11/8	12/9	10/7	8/5
Glen	6/6	7/6	7/6	11/9	13/11	12/10	13/11	10/8	8/6
Freezing Level*	1400m	1600m	2400m	2500m	2200m	2800m	2100m	1500m	1400m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Met Office Aberdeen Meteorologist's View
Walking conditions will become difficult in the afternoon. Feeling cold with gales developing and rain for a time.

Forecast for Monday 26 Sep 2022
Weather: A cold and windy day in the hills with blustery showers, mostly in north of area, wintry on tops of munros. Driest, brightest weather will be towards Creag Meagaidh and down around Ben Alder.

Maximum wind: Northwesterly winds with average speeds of 30 to 40mph with gusts 50 to 60mph.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 800m: 40% in north, 80% in south of area.

Low cloud and visibility: Away from showers the visibility will be very good with patches of cloud about 700m. Clouds will become extensive as showers come along, especially in north of area with briefly poor visibility.

Temperature: **Glens:** 4 Celsius rising to 12 Celsius.
At 800m: Plus 4 Celsius.
Freezing level: 1000m.

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